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Applicant(s)

Matick et al.

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Title:

Cache with Selective Least Frequently Used or Most Frequently

Used Cache Line Replacement

# PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment relating to the above-identified patent application. There is no additional claim fee due in connection with the Response.

In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit **IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510** as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this letter are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Please amend, prior to substantive examination, the above-identified 10 application as follows: